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TAGS: PINT PFOR SF (TRANSKEI)

SUBJECT: TREATMENT OF TRANSKEI NATIONAL BY S.A.

REF: PRETORIA 296

1. SOUTH AFRICAN PRESS ON FEB 5 WEEKEND REPORTED THAT TRANSKEI HAS RECALLED ALL ITS CONSULS SERVING IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR CONSULTATION RE TREATMENT OF TRANSKEI NATIONALS IN S.A. PRESS IN RECENT WEEKS HAS CARRIED A NUMBER OF ARTICLES DESCRIBING HOW TRANSKEIANS, THOUGH THEORETICALLY CITIZENS OF INDEPENDENT NATION, FREQUENTLY ARE NOT SO TREATED BY SAG OFFICIALS AND PRIVATE PERSONS SUCH AS HOTELIERS, ETC. REFTEL DESCRIBED RECENT ACTIONS AND ATTITUDES OF SAG OFFICIALS ON THE QUESTION OF TRANSKEI CITIZENSHIP OF XHOSA-SPEAKING BLACKS RESIDENT IN SOUTH AFRICA.

2. ACCORDING TO PRESS, RECALL OF TRANSKEI CONSULS WAS ORDERED BY TRANSKEI FOREIGN MINISTER DIGBY KOYANA AFTER RECEIPT OF COMPLAINTS ABOUT TREATMENT OF TRANSKEI NATIONALS FROM AMBASSADOR TO SOUTH AFRICA, PROFESSOR NJISANE. IN RECENT WEEKS NJISANE HAS

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BEEN REPEATEDLY OUTSPOKEN ON THE MANNER IN WHICH SAG'S BANTU AFFAIRS OFFICIALS HANDLE TRANSKEIANS, PARTICULARLY OVER ARRESTS UNDER SOUTH AFRICA'S PASS LAWS WHICH NJISANE CLAIMS ARE CONTRARY TO THE SPIRIT OF TRANSKEI-SOUTH AFRICAN INDEPENDENCE AGREEMENTS. NJISANE ALSO HAS OBJECTED TO THE IMPOSITION OF TRANSKEI CITIZENSHIP ON SA-DWELLING BLACKS WITH ONLY REMOTE OR DISTANT TIES TO TRANSKEI. AFTER MEETING THE TRANSKEI CONSULS IN UMTATA,

FOREIGN MINISTER KOYANA TOLD THE PRESS THAT THE CONSULS HAD
"TO A LARGE EXTENT...CONFIRMED" THE COMPLAINTS OF AMBASSADOR
NJISANE. KOYANA ADDED THAT TRANSKEI WOULD RAISE THE MATTER
WITH THE SAG AT GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT LEVEL VERY SOON SINCE
TRANSKEI "IS NOT PREPARED TO ACCEPT THE SITUATION".
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